

Amendment  
Serial No. 10/681,384  
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AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the original abstract by the following substitute abstract, which is identical except that grammar has been corrected:

A polarizer including a film having a structure having a minute domain dispersed in a matrix formed of a translucent water-soluble resin including an iodine light absorbing material, provides a high polarization degree in short wavelength side. The polarizer has a high transmittance and a high polarization degree, and is able to control unevenness of the transmittance in the case of black display.